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14th Street Improvement Project

CANCELLED- Northbound Resurfacing on Downtown Connector this Weekend

ATLANTA – Due to the forecast for inclement weather this weekend, all resurfacing work planned for the 14th Street Bridge Project on the Northbound Downtown Connector has been postponed. The work planned for this weekend will be rescheduled for the weekend after Labor Day (Sept. 11-14), weather permitting.

As a reminder, there will be no construction-related lane closures during the Labor Day Holiday weekend.

These closures are part of an ongoing \$88.5 million project to replace the 14th Street Bridge over the Downtown Connector to relieve congestion at the 14th Street interchange. The improved bridge features two new exit ramps from the interstate: southbound to 10th Street, which opened in June, and northbound to 17th Street, expected to open in early 2010. The estimated cost of the project is \$88.5 million. For more information, visit our project web page at

<http://www.dot.ga.gov/informationcenter/activeprojects/Interstates/14StreetBridge/Pages/default.aspx>.

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